GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:2408
ANSWERED ON:13.03.2001
VEHICLES THEFT CASES
PUSP JAIN

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether incidents of vehicle thefts have increased in the capital;

(b) if so, the number of such cases reported/solved during 1998, 1999, 2000 and 2001, till date;

(c) whether efforts of the Delhi Police to nab the culprits remain ineffective; and

(d) if so, the steps taken by the Government to check such incidents in future?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (CH. VIDYASAGAR RAO)

(a): No, Sir.

(b) & (c): The requisite information is given in the attached statement.

(d): The steps taken by Delhi Police to check the activities of auto-lifters include formation of Auto-theft squads in every district; setting up of check-posts at the borders; surveillance of criminals earlier involved in vehicle theft cases; deployment of plain clothes policemen to collect intelligence regarding organised gangs of auto lifters; intensification of motor cycle patrol near parking areas; and exchange of information with the neighbouring states.

STATEMENT REFERRED TO IN REPLY TO PARTS (b) & (c) OF LOK SABHA UNSTARRED QUESTION NO.2408 FOR ANSWER ON 13.3.2001.

YEAR	CASE REPORTED	CANCELLED OUT	WORKED/	CHALLANED ARRESTED	PERSONS	
1999	8078	217	1863	870	3183	
2000	8043	156	1596	551	2483	
2001	1375	12	124	3	203	
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